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MUCH WORK

Before Central Committee of the Catholic Knights of America.

Must Make Preparation For Entertainment of State Council.

Ritual Committee Will Make Its Final Report at Next Meeting.

BRANCHES MAKE FAVORABLE REPORTS

The Central Committee of the Catholic Knights of America met in regular monthly session last Friday night in St. Mary's Hall, and soon after William T. Meehan had installed the officers it became apparent that there was much work before them that would continue to the end of their term. First John J. Score called the committee's attention to the fact that the next State convention would be held in Louisville. Arrangements will have to be made for the proper entertainment of the State officers, delegates and visitors, and he thought the Central Committee should not delay much longer before taking care of this matter. The convention, it is thought, will be the largest the Catholic Knights have yet held in Kentucky and may continue for several days. Banquets, rides and other forms of entertainment will be provided, and it is now time that the various branches should be visited and asked to help defray the expense that must be incurred.

President Joseph P. McGinn was presented with a surprise souvenir by William Cushing, which was later divided among the delegates. For the special committee on ritual William T. Meehan reported that the members were making satisfactory progress and would have everything in readiness for an exemplification at the next meeting. Bernard A. Kruse, upon behalf of Branch 642, invited the delegates to a housewarming to be given by that branch in its new quarters at Campbell and Broadway on Tuesday, January 22.

Several branches reported gains in membership with St. Michael's in the lead, and the officers were commended for the splendid showing they are making. A number of new delegates were received as members of the committee, but as many branches could not be heard from until the latter part of this month President McGinn announced that the committee to be appointed would not be named before the February meeting.

Police Commissioner Murphy, representing the Jeffersonville Knights, and Capt. Gus Kane, of the Uniform Rank, hinted that there was "something doing" and that there will be an unexpected showing upon the occasion of the next regular meeting. They want to inaugurate a movement that will enable the two companies, the band and the Knights of Louisville to visit Cincinnati when the Supreme Council meets there next May. Their suggestion was endorsed by Delegate Harry Veeneman, who expressed the hope that Kentucky would make a better showing there either Ohio or Indiana, both of which are already preparing for that event. United with the uniformed companies and branches of Covington, Newport, Bellevue and other Kentucky towns there is no reason why this State should not carry off the honors.

Anthony J. Sheridan, representing Branch 4, who has been prominent in the order for many years, was called upon and responded with one of the best talks that has been heard recently at any meeting of Catholic Knights. The order was never before in better condition, he said, and reports from all sections of the country showed an awakened interest and restoration of confidence. But notwithstanding the bright outlook for the future all will depend upon the interest the individual members take and their attendance at meetings. The reputation and standing of the officers were of the highest and would draw strength from all quarters, and with these facts before them every man and woman in the order should do something for its advancement.

Other delegates told of the plans made by their branches, and President McGinn invited the committee to visit St. John's branch on Monday night, when a smoker would be given for the men of the parish in the school hall. He also stated that Branch 25 had within the past few months secured ten new members, which they looked upon only as a start in the campaign they will conduct during the coming year.

As soon as the Membership Committee is organized a series of visits to all the branches in the Falls Cities will be organized and there will be a return to the old-time fraternal spirit that existed prior to the re-creating. It was with much regret that it was learned that Col. Michael Reichert could not be present, being still confined to his home as the result of injuries sustained nearly two months ago.

DUBLIN CASTLE.

Lady Aberdeen, determined to signalize her reign in Dublin Castle by

doing all she can for Irish industries, is to give a wonderful Irish lace ball this month. The dresses of the ladies are to be, as far as possible, of Irish manufacture, and this will certainly be no hardship in view of the beautiful Irish poplins and other fabrics now manufactured, while Irish lace of crocheted is to be de rigueur. The gentlemen are to appear in court dress, with ruffles and jabots entirely of Irish lace. The dances will include Irish jigs and reels, old-fashioned step dances and several quadrilles in which the dancers will all wear lace of the same make. Thus there will be a Carrickmacross quadrille, a Limerick, an old point and other quadrilles.

SUDDENLY STRICKEN.

Death of Mrs. Charles J. Finegan Shocks Entire Community.

It is with feelings of the deepest regret that we have to record this week the sudden and unexpected death of Mrs. Bettie Finegan, beloved wife of Charles J. Finegan, the well known West End grocer, which sad event took place at the family residence on Nineteenth street last Saturday night. Mrs. Finegan had been ill since December 24, but was thought to be recovering, as she was able to be up and receive her friends. Near midnight she was stricken with heart failure and expired before the physician could reach the house, making the third death within her family within a year. Deceased had been in robust health up to her illness and enjoyed the confidence and well wishes of all who knew her, and by her gentle manner, liberal spirit and cheerful disposition had made for herself a wide circle of friends and no enemies. In every way she was extremely generous, and her charity to the poor and needy was certainly unbounded. For many years Mrs. Finegan was the soprano soloist in the choir of St. Patrick's church, and was always active in the charitable work of that parish. Considering that she was a young woman it was generally expected her illness would be of short duration, but despite all that medical skill could do, coupled with the kind and gentle nursing of kind and affectionate relatives and while apparently on the road to recovery, the sudden change came and to the great grief of her devoted husband and a large circle of relatives and friends she passed peacefully away. Sunday and Monday nights the house was thronged with those who came to express sympathy and pay respect to the memory of the dead, St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Patrick's and Division 1, A. O. H., appearing in a body. The funeral Tuesday morning was largely attended and bore ample testimony to the respect and esteem in which the deceased was held. Vicar General Cronin officiated at the solemn high mass of requiem and in feeling manner paid high tribute to the Christian life and worth of her whose death was mourned.

Besides the bereaved husband the aged mother and two sisters, Mrs. John Ryan and Mary Lincoln, and three brothers, William, Pierce and Dennis Lincoln, yet survive, and to them we tender our heartfelt sympathy.

PLEASED WITH LECTURE.

Great Audience Heard Lecture of Dr. Doherty Tuesday Night.

The announcement that Dr. William B. Doherty would lecture Tuesday night before the members of Mackin Council brought out an audience that thronged the club house, late comers having to be content with standing room. Dr. Doherty was received with enthusiastic applause, and for an hour and a half he drove home truth after truth that applied to men's lives from boyhood up, and left an impression on the minds of his hearers that will not be soon forgotten. In conclusion the Doctor expressed himself proud of Mackin Council and its achievements and pleased with the evidences on all sides that the members had the best interests of the young men at heart. In expressing appreciation of the lecture it was unanimously voted to invite Dr. Doherty to again address the council in the near future.

Dr. Phil G. Beutel was a welcome visitor, and in a happy talk extended Mackin Council an invitation to visit Trinity a body, which was accepted. The members will meet at the club house and several hundred will be expected to make the trip.

President Sand named Charles S. Roldy as Chairman for Mackin Council at the banquet to be given for St. Cecilia's church after Easter, and all members of the council residing in that parish will constitute a committee to assist him. The applications of Newton G. Rogers and John Clifford were referred to the Membership Committee and they will be elected in time for the next initiation.

Thursday, February 7, was set as the time for the annual election and reception, the arrangements for which will be made by Messrs. John T. Kenney, Thomas Filburn, Frank Lanzham, Will O'Toole, Charles Kiehammer, John Stewart and George Keiffer. They will prepare for an evening of real enjoyment and the distribution of many prizes. Much other business was transacted and the meeting did not adjourn until a late hour.

ENCYCLICAL.

Holy Father Sends Words of Comfort to Catholics of France.

While Certain of Victory Must Be Prepared For All Sorts of Trials.

The Church Did Not Willingly Expose Herself to Her Persecutors.

NEW LAW HAS ORGANIZED ANARCHY

The Osseroatore Romano last Saturday published the text of the encyclical addressed by Pope Pius X. to the French people, which the Associated Press reports in part: In this document the Pontiff said his chief object in addressing the faithful in France was to comfort them in their sufferings, which he felt deeply. There was, however, great consolation in the fact that the Catholics of France were united. The French Government's declaration of war was not only against the Christian faith, but against all spiritual ideas. French Catholics must be prepared for all sorts of trials, but they were certain of final victory. This meant the maintenance of their union with the Holy See, which was of the greatest importance, as shown by the efforts of the enemies of the church to dissolve this union. Contrary to the statements on the subject, the church did not desire a religious war involving violent persecutions. Being a messenger of peace and carrying out her mission loyally, the church did not willingly expose herself to war and persecution, as she did not desire to see her children suffering. Regarding the ecclesiastical properties, the encyclical said the Pope had not abandoned them. The French Government's imposition of the law of 1905 on an organization which the church was absolutely unable to accept without imperiling her existence as a divine institution. The church could not prevent the unjust spoliation in progress. As for the proposed cultural associations, they were contrary to the ecclesiastical hierarchy given to the church by the Divine Founder Himself and the Pope condemned them in spite of the material injuries involved at the hands of the Government.

"Besides the law conferred on these associations attributes regarding both the exercise of worship and possession and administration of church property which appertain alone to ecclesiastical authority. Finally the associations are not only withdrawn from ecclesiastical jurisdiction, but are placed under civil authority." Continuing the Pope said: "We have been accused of prejudice and inconsistency and it has been said that we refused to approve in France what we had already approved in Germany. But this reproach is unjust and unfounded, for while the German law is condemnable on many points and was only accepted in order to avoid greater evils, the situations are very different. The German law explicitly recognized the Catholic hierarchy, which the French did not."

As to the annual declaration required for public worship it did not offer the legal guarantee that the church had the right to expect. Nevertheless, to obviate worse evils, the church might have tolerated making declarations, but laying down that the church shall be only a legal status, and without the right to perform any administrative act in the exercise of their ministry, placed them in such a vague and humiliating position that the making of declarations could not be accepted.

It remains to examine the law recently voted by the Chambers. From the point of view of church property it is a law of spoliation and confiscation, and has consummated the pillage of the church. Although her divine founder was born poor in a stable and died poor on the cross, and although she knows poverty from the crucifix the property she was possessed of none the less belonged to her, and no one has the right to deprive her of it. The statement that the Government disposed of the abandoned properties of the church adds derision to spoliation. From the point of view of religion the new law has organized anarchy. It installs a regime of uncertainty and arbitrariness. There is uncertainty as to whether the churches shall in the meanwhile be at the disposal of the clergy and faithful. In all parts of the country. In addition the clergy are under the heaviest expenses, while their revenues are subjected to strictest limitations. The new law aggravates the law separating Church and State. We can only condemn it with precision and without ambiguity. Certain articles throw new light on the aim of our enemies. They wish to destroy the church and despoil it. France without attracting too closely the attention of the people. If their course were really popular, as they pretend, they would

pursue it openly and take all the responsibility."

In conclusion the Pope appealed to history, which, he said, will recognize that the Papacy acted as it has because it did not wish to oppose any form of government, but defend with all its strength the work of the divine founder of the church. The papacy wished to remind the world that "Man must concern himself with higher ideas than the occurrences of everyday life, and that the supreme, inviolable joy of the human soul on earth is to accomplish its spiritual duty at all costs, and thus, in spite of all, honor, serve and love God."

COMPLIMENTARY

Euchre To Be Given By Division 4 Wednesday Evening.

A large crowd of Hibernians and their friends are expected to attend the complimentary euchre given by Division 4, A. O. H., at their hall in the Hopkins Theater building next Wednesday evening. All of the members of the local divisions and the two ladies' auxiliaries of this city and the Hibernians of Jeffersonville and New Albany have been invited and the committee promises to take care of all who attend.

This is the first social affair given by this division for the new year, and President Joseph P. McGinn announces that it will not be the last, as he says that Division 4 will always be up and doing something for the benefit of the members and the booming of the division in general, and an increased membership is promised, as the members have been bursting for applications since the first of the year. The committee in charge of the euchre are David Reilly, Joseph L. Leunihan and John J. Barry.

RECENT DEATHS.

The death of Florence McCleary, the infant daughter of Arthur and Nellie McCleary, 1828 Duncan street, on Sunday morning made desolate another happy home. The funeral took place Monday, the remains being tenderly laid to rest in St. Louis cemetery.

The funeral of William F. Relling took place Sunday afternoon from St. Bede's, of which he had been a member since boyhood. His death followed a short illness and caused a feeling of deep gloom to pervade the circles in which he moved and was popular. Of a cheery and generous disposition, he was a dutiful son and staunch friend, and his untimely death will leave a void in many quarters that will not be soon filled.

Miss Katherine Belle Sullivan, daughter of Michael and Alice Sullivan, 2322 High avenue, and one of the lost popular and respected young women of St. Cecilia's parish, fell a victim to dread pneumonia Tuesday afternoon, after an illness of but a few days. She was twenty-three years of age, and besides her mother and father, for years a faithful member of the local police force, she leaves three sisters, Nettie, Alice and Lettie and five brothers, William, Frank, Charles, Edward and John Sullivan. The funeral was held Thursday morning, Rev. Father Raffo being the celebrant of the solemn mass of requiem.

Mrs. Catherine Corcoran, widow of James Corcoran and for many years a respected and well known resident of this city, died Saturday afternoon at her home, 2209 West Jefferson street, after a long illness of asthma. Deceased was born in Ireland seventy-two years ago, but came to Louisville with her parents and reared a highly esteemed family. Mrs. Corcoran was known and beloved by all who came within the sphere of her influence, and in cases of sickness and sorrow she was always a comforting angel. She is survived by two daughters, Miss Mary Corcoran and Mrs. Charles Byrne; by three grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Armour McFarland, and a number of nephews and nieces in Louisville, St. Louis and West Point. The funeral services were held Monday morning at St. Charles' Borromeo church, Rev. Father Raffo being the celebrant of the solemn requiem mass.

News of the death of Mrs. Nora Irene Johnson, aged twenty-four years, wife of Ben Johnson, Secretary of the Central Consumers' Company, was received with feelings of inexpressible grief by her friends throughout the city. Mrs. Johnson was a most lovable young woman and possessed many fine traits of character, and the fact that she leaves two small children renders her untimely demise doubly sad. Mrs. Johnson was a native of Ireland, coming to America with her parents when eleven years old. Four years ago she was married. Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, her mother, Mrs. Margaret Carroll; three brothers, Patrolman John Carroll and Patrick and Morris Carroll, and three sisters, Misses Julia and Anna Carroll and Mrs. Frank Clusky, all of this city. Her death was due to heart failure following an operation performed at her home, 1436 Twenty-fourth street. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from St. William's church, and a large concourse of sorrowing friends followed the remains to St. Louis cemetery.

Colored gloves have supplanted white ones in Parisian favor and tan, gray or black long gloves are the correct thing for street wear.

FEDERATION.

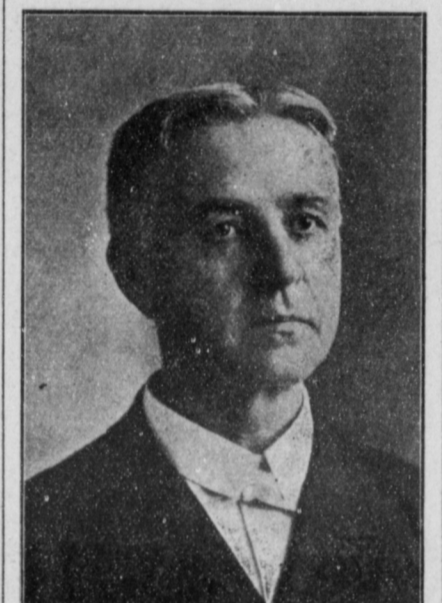
Annual Meeting Was the Most Interesting Held For Years.

Attorney Newton G. Rogers the Unanimous Choice For President.

Rev. Charles P. Raffo Invited to Address the Next Meeting.

WANT NEW DELEGATES ARE SEATED

The annual meeting of the Louisville Federation of Catholic Societies, held in the parlors of the Catholic Woman's Club was interesting throughout and gave evidence of an



PRESIDENT NEWTON G. ROGERS.

awakening interest in the work of this representative Catholic body. Not only was the attendance of delegates larger than for many months past, but Secretary John Croly announced the affiliation of additional bodies. Resolutions on the French situation were provided for and will be reported at the next meeting, when the Federation will give emphatic declaration of its position as regards the persecution of the Church now going on in France. The reports submitted showed the standing of the organization and the societies sending delegates, and upon the whole was very satisfactory.

Vice President A. J. Sheridan, who occupied the chair in the absence of Magistrate P. T. Sullivan, reviewed the work of the past year, and in calling attention to the election of officers that was to take place urged the delegates to place only such men in charge as will make the Federation a power for good. Great care should be exercised in the selections about to be made, and he bespoke for those chosen the earnest support of every delegate. The election was then gone into and the following were the unanimous choice:

President—Newton G. Rogers.
Vice Presidents—Clarence H. Zook, Dr. B. J. Lammers and Margaret Foley.

Secretary—John J. Croly.
Treasurer—Louis P. Steiner.
Executive Committee—Charles S. Roldy, Edward Kelly, William J. Norton, Miss Mary Sheridan, C. F. Pryskucki and William Westenhauer.

In accepting the Presidency Mr. Rogers said that he did so with the understanding that each delegate present was for him as they alone were responsible for him being placed in the position. Under his administration it would be the purpose to have the Federation cognizant of all current events and happenings as they relate to the Church and its people. He promised that the meetings would be made more interesting and that all questions affecting Catholic interests would be taken up and fully and intelligently discussed. In order also that proper impetus might be given any work before the Federation it was announced that the Executive Committee would meet for conference with the President on the third Thursday of each month.

The delegation representing Mackin Council, Y. M. I., accepted an invitation to arrange a programme and take charge of the April meeting, as will Trinity Council the month following. The Executive Committee to determine which acquires its membership well known lawyers, physicians, merchants, manufacturers and workmen, and as there is a spirited but friendly rivalry between the two the programmes will be awaited with no little interest, and will draw a large attendance.

A number of communications were read and credentials for newly appointed delegates filed, after which copies of the Federation Bulletin were distributed. Magistrate P. T. Sullivan, who was late in arriving, was called upon and delivered an address that contained timely suggestions. Without noise or display of conservative lines and had accomplished much, and it was to be hoped the delegates would prove loyal in attendance and thus make light the work they would have before them. Special notices will be issued for

BEST EVER.

Ancient Order of Hibernians Is Rising on a Wave of Prosperity.

Initiation Tomorrow Will Mark Another Important Mile Post.

All Arrangements Complete For Lecture of Editor P. J. Haltigan.

DEGREE WORK TO BE IMPRESSIVE

The members of every division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians are out hustling for new members, and at the present ratio of increase Louisville will nearly double its membership before the national convention that will be held at Indianapolis in 1908. Tomorrow afternoon the first initiation of the new year will take place in Hibernian Hall in the Hopkins Theater building when the degrees will be conferred on a large class. For this occasion special preparation has been made, with the view of marking another mile post in the history of the order in this city. Each of the four local divisions has many candidates awaiting initiation, and to these and every member notice has been sent requesting their presence tomorrow afternoon. It is expected that the State President and the entire County Board will be in attendance to witness the exemplification and lend encouragement to the movement for the upbuilding of the grand old order.

Speaking of the past history of the organization in Kentucky and old-time member said this week to the Kentucky Irish American: "The Ancient Order of Hibernians is the best society ever organized for Catholic Irishmen, and the younger men are now realizing this in all sections of the country, and it is gratifying to note that our local divisions, realizing this fact, are leaving nothing undone to secure men to join that will be a credit to our organization. Our grand old order is rising on a wave of prosperity never equalled by any similar society, and its mission of preserving the spirit of Irish nationality in the true patriotic sense is appealing at the present time to the young men of our race, and creed is never before. They realize that in order to secure respect and equality our people must be united, and the one society capable of this work is the Ancient Order of Hibernians. 'Unity, Friendship and True Christian Charity,' our motto, is broad and Catholic in spirit, and under its inspiring sentiments exist a true brotherhood of Catholic Irishmen, true to the land of their adoption and loving the land that is awaiting the day when Robert Emmet's epitaph may be written."

No section of the country is there more interest taken in Hibernianism than in the Falls Cities at the present time. Jeffersonville only two weeks ago had a successful initiation, which will be repeated here tomorrow. Louisville has two flourishing divisions of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and next Wednesday evening the entire membership will be entertained at a complimentary euchre by Division 4, when handsome prizes will be awarded and nothing left undone that would contribute to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Then will follow the grand illustrated lecture by Patrick J. Haltigan, editor of the National Hibernian, at Macauley's Theater on Sunday evening, February 17, under the auspices of Division 1. This lecture will be on "Irishmen in the American Revolution and Their Early Influence in the Colonies," and will be interspersed with patriotic Irish and American songs. Editor Haltigan has been everywhere greeted with large and appreciative audiences, and the verdict passed may be summed up in the words of the Rev. Patrick Quill, S. J., professor at Germantown University, Washington, D. C., who says: "Only one word, and that word is admirable. Your lecture was first class. I am not trusting my own judgment. Further Fink, Father McCarthy and Father Brice were delighted. The more you repeat it the better it will be, but even your first essay was just splendid. Your musical interludes were very appropriate."

Soon the new County Board will be organized and then a final decision will be arrived at to the manner in which the anniversary of Ireland's patron saint will be observed. Of course all the members will approach holy communion St. Patrick's day but they will also want a public celebration in keeping with the occasion.

APPOINTED ASSISTANT.

Lawrence W. Callahan, a veteran of the Forty-fourth New York infantry, but for many years a well known resident of New Albany, was last week appointed Assistant Superintendent of the National Soldiers' cemetery at Beaufort, N. C. He is Saturday to enter upon the duties of his new position, followed by the best wishes of all who knew him.

the next meeting and members of all societies affiliated with the Federation will be asked to attend and hear the Rev. Father Charles P. Raffo, who has been asked to deliver the address on that occasion. Thomas Feely and Magistrate Sullivan were appointed a special committee to see him and will make all the necessary arrangements. Father Raffo has kept in touch with the Archbishops, Bishops, priests and many distinguished men prominent in the federation movement, and doubtless the meeting place will be taxed to hold those who will want to hear him.

The local Federation has begun the new year well indeed, and if the members continue the interest displayed last week the results will be gratifying to all our citizens.

JEFFERSONVILLE

Hibernians Will Celebrate in Honor of Erin's Patron Saint.

Notwithstanding the bad weather there was an enthusiastic gathering of Jeffersonville Hibernians in Piau's Hall Tuesday night to witness the installation of officers and take steps for the celebration of St. Patrick's day. Michael Kinney, the retiring County President, installed the officers with a brief address, after which Louis Constantine reported that the Literary Committee was arranging for a celebration on Monday, March 18, that would equal any ever held in the Falls Cities, the full programme of which would be ready at the next meeting.

John Kennedy presided and made a fine impression. The reports of the outgoing officers showed the division in splendid condition with a membership of 125, mostly all young men. A pleasant feature was the presentation, by Barney Coyle, of a handsome gavel, decorated in the American and Irish colors, to President Kennedy, who promised to wield it with the utmost fairness. He then announced the appointment of the following standing committee:

Sick—Louis Constantine, John E. Murphy, Michael Kinney, Thomas Aherne, Barney Coyle.

Finance—John B. Murphy, Jr., Dennis Aherne, Barney Coyle.

Standing—John B. Murphy, Sr., Barney Coyle, Redmond Stanton, Mike Garrity, John Phlarty, John B. Kinney.

Joseph P. McGinn and Joseph L. Leunihan, President and Treasurer of Division 4, of Louisville, and the representative of the Kentucky Irish American were among the visitors and were most cordially received. President McGinn was at a loss to find words to express his surprise and delight at what he saw and heard at this meeting, not having had any idea of the great progress the division had made during the year. After congratulating the members he invited them all and their lady friends to attend the complimentary euchre to be given Wednesday night by Division 4.

Treasurer Leunihan was both eloquent and witty and his reference to his President evoked much laughter. He had listened attentively to the reports read, and the record spoke well for Jeffersonville. Throwing a bouquet at the young men he urged them to be on hand Wednesday night, when he would see that each had a handsome and dashing lady partner for the evening. His allusions to the Kentucky Irish American, for which he would throw aside any paper published, were applauded.

An invitation was also extended to the division to attend in a body the initiation to be held tomorrow afternoon in the Hopkins Theater building.

AMERICAN STUDENTS.

Pope Pius Praises Them For Success They Have Attained.

Pope Pius last Sunday received the students of the American College in Rome, who were presented by Mgr. Kennedy, Rector of the college. Monsignor Kennedy said the American students were more numerous than those of any other nationality attending institutions of learning in Rome, there being 120 at the college. Pope Pius, after praising the students for the success they have attained in their studies, spoke to them about France, saying: "In the war that is being waged between the clergy and hell, the expressions of unity and sympathy from Catholics throughout the world are the greatest consolation. America especially has distinguished herself in this way; indeed America is a credit to us. When you return to your glorious country follow with the clergy and the people this luminous example of solidarity in the tremendous conflict against the church."

MEETING OF PROTEST.

A monster mass meeting of Catholics of New York and Brooklyn will be held next Sunday evening, January 27, at the Hippodrome Theater in New York, to protest against the cruel treatment which is now being accorded the Catholics of France by the French Government. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus of Greater New York, and several Congressmen and other men of note will address the assemblage.

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WITHOUT CREDENCE.

The Associated Press says the impression still exists among Catholic clergymen of Indianapolis that Rev. Father Chartrand will be made auxiliary to Right Rev. Bishop McCloskey, of this diocese. Here in Louisville the report is given no credence whatever. Our good Bishop, though not quite as young as many others, is still as active as any and has no trouble whatever in conducting the affairs of the diocese, which all concede to be one of the best managed in the country. In Kentucky it is the universal hope that Bishop McCloskey may reign for many years to come.

GREAT LOSS TO CHURCH.

The Catholic Church of the United States sustained a great loss by the death of Archbishop Montgomery, who died last Thursday in San Francisco, following an operation for appendicitis. He was recognized for his piety, learning and ability, and in him the Catholic fraternal orders had a wise counselor and true friend. Archbishop Montgomery was a native of Kentucky, being born in Daviess county, December 30, 1847. Cardinal Gibbons ordained him in Baltimore December 20, 1879, and he was consecrated Bishop and Coadjutor by Bishop Mora, of Los Angeles, April 8, 1894. On June 10, 1898, Bishop Montgomery succeeded Bishop Mora at Los Angeles, where he remained for seven years, and in October of 1903 was transferred to San Francisco as Coadjutor to Archbishop Riordan. He filled his higher office with signal success, and during the San Francisco catastrophe he won the love of people of all creeds and nationalities.

SHUN PUCK.

That alleged illustrated comic weekly, Puck, is out with the most bitter and rabid cartoon on the Catholic church we have ever seen. It displays France as a long suffering martyr, angry from being milked by the clergy and hierarchy of the church, kicking over a milk bucket labeled "papal revenues" and the milk. His Holiness Pope Pius X. The clergy are represented as bees stinging the cow until goaded to desperation, it shows its resentment by kicking over the entire church, and the cartoon is labeled "A kick that was a long time coming."

This barber shop weekly has always been a notorious enemy of the church and its people. Even in the old A. P. A. strite it did its best to stir up ill feeling between the Catholics and their fellow-citizens, and it is high time that the Catholics of this country make some organized effort to fight this foe in their midst, as this latest attack is entirely uncalled for and should not be let go by without some show of resentment on the part of Catholics and other fair-minded citizens. The Catholic press in the East, and especially in Puck's district, New York, should ask for an apology for this insult, and, if not granted one, should with the assistance of the Catholic societies and people in that section start a crusade for the abolishment of this low weekly that attempts to prejudice and array one class of people against another by unfair and untruthful tactics. It is our honest opinion that the trade mark at the head of Puck's columns, entitled "What Fools These Mortals Be," must certainly apply to the purchasers, that is if they are looking for a comic paper, as the cheap wit and weak humor displayed therein are poor in comparison to other such publications.

FIGHTING DISEASE.

Writing upon the above subject, President Eliot, of Harvard University, says recent events have brought into strong light a new function of the medical profession which is sure to be amplified and made more effective in the near future—meaning the function of teaching the whole population how diseases are caused and communicated, and what are the corresponding means of prevention. The recent campaign against tuberculosis is a good illustration of this new function of the profession. To discharge it well requires, in medical men, the power of interesting exposition, with telling illustration and moving exhortation. Obviously the function calls for disinterestedness and public spirit on the part of the profession; but to this call it is certain that the profession will respond. It also calls for some new adjustments and new functions in medical schools which should hereafter be

careful to provide means of popular exposition concerning water supplies, foods, drinks, drugs, the parasitic causes or consequences of disease in men, plants, and animals, and the modes of communication of all communicable diseases.

Medical museums should be arranged, in part, for the instruction of the public. The medical schools also habitually should provide popular lectures on medical subjects, and these lectures should be given without charge on days and at hours when working people can attend. In other words selected physicians should become public preachers as well as private practitioners. America has much to learn from Europe in regard to this public spirited service on the part of the profession.

FRANCE WILL OBJECT.

According to press dispatches from Rome correspondents unofficially admit that have been made in an endeavor to ascertain Italy's attitude concerning a representative of the Vatican at the coming peace conference at The Hague have found no encouragement. Although the relations between Italy and the Church are now the best, the Italian Government does not think it can abandon the principles established in 1899, when the Papacy was excluded from the first conference. Besides this there is now another country that would strongly object to a Papal representative—France.

The Vatican has asked for no representative at the conference mentioned, and it would appear that much of the stuff cabled over about its intentions are the merest bosh. Those correspondents are rather against the church, and therefore write a great deal concerning matters and questions about which they know absolutely nothing, in most cases the wish being father to the thought.

Several clerical guests at a banquet held in a prominent St. Louis hotel noticed that at the news-stand in the lobby of that hotel some very irate anti-Catholic and filthy books were offered for sale, such as "Maria Monk," and others even more disgusting. Some lewd pictures were also exhibited. Formal complaint was made to the manager of the hotel against this news-stand. His attention was called to the fact that his Catholic patrons object to such villenous. As a result of the protest the objectionable books and pictures were removed. This would be a good policy to pursue in the case of Puck, which is always insulting the Catholic religion.

The publishers of that vile, filthy book, "The Devil in the Church," have recently announced that they were obliged to destroy the plates of said book, and to sign an agreement with the Government never to publish said book again. The latter statement is a malicious lie, evidently intended to hasten the sale of the book, is evidenced by the fact that Assistant Postmaster General Randolph has informed the National Federation that no such agreement was executed by the Postoffice Department. Christian people would do well to report at once any attempt to use the mails for publications of this disreputable character, which is a violation of the law.

The French Episcopate met Tuesday in the Chateau de la Muette, where they received the encyclical of the Supreme Pontiff and deliberated over the situation now existing in France. Nothing definite has been yet given out from any of the sessions held, but there appears no possibility of any action having been taken that was not in accord with the position of Pope Pius X.

JOLLY TIME FOR ALL.

The Pastime Drill Company promises a night of merriment for those who attend their euchre next Wednesday. More prizes will be awarded than at any euchre given this winter. Their hall at Seventeenth and Southgate is the largest in the city, affording ample room for an immense gathering. All who want to have a good time and win something should not miss this.

ATTENDED FUNERAL.

Mrs. John Mullaney and daughter, Miss Rose, were called to Memphis last Wednesday to attend the funeral of her nephew, Thomas J. Talley, brother of Miss Katie Talley, formerly of this city but for several years a resident of Memphis. The funeral took place from St. Peter's church and the interment was in Calvary cemetery. The deceased had many friends in Louisville who will be pained to learn of his death.

SOCIETY.

Miss Agnes Laven left the first of the week for an extended visit with friends in Virginia.

Mrs. Charles L. Crush gave a delightful dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Willie Lee Johnson.

William Coyle, employed at the Jeffersonville car works, is again able to be out after a short illness.

Miss Nora McDermott, who arrived last week to visit friends here, has returned to her home at Paris.

Mrs. Mike Everin, of South Louisville, has returned from a visit of several days to friends in Cincinnati.

Frank O'Connell left last Saturday, after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary O'Connell.

Miss Eleanor Senn, who was home for an extended holiday visit, has returned to Sacred Heart Academy to continue her studies.

Martin Tracy, one of the best known citizens of Jeffersonville, is reported slowly improving after a long illness of rheumatism.

Mrs. Josie Sheridan, of South Louisville, will return next week from Syracuse, where she was called to attend the funeral of her sister.

Will Schneider, of Sixteenth and Market street, is setting 'em up to the boys this week, a little Mr. Schneider having arrived at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Keyer entertained at the Seelbach at dinner Monday evening in honor of their nephew, Martin J. Keyer, who returned to college on Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Finegan, daughter of Mr. Michael Finegan, of 1139 Sixth street, has been ill for the past week at her home, but her physician predicts that she will be out in a few days.

Virgil Bohn, who has undergone a long illness at his home in the West End, expects to leave for the East within a few days, in the hope that the trip may restore him to better health.

Miss Margaret Norton arrived home Monday from Pittsburg, where she spent several weeks visiting relatives. A number of receptions and entertainments were given in her honor.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle, of Overton street, Newport, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last week. They were married in Canada in 1857, but for the past forty-six years have lived in Newport.

Richard Whitty, of the Big Store, is wearing a broad smile these days and with good reason. He has become the father of a fine boy, and those who miss him evenings will find him at home entertaining the new arrival.

Miss Rose Henley, Twenty-sixth street, entertained the West End Young Ladies' Euchre Club on Tuesday evening. The favors were both unique and handsome and Miss Henley was voted one of the season's most charming hostesses.

Deputy Sheriff Denny Heffernan's home has had another visit from the stork, who left there a pretty baby girl. Denny feels very proud over the addition, which increases the number that call him father to nine—three boys and six girls.

Martin J. Cusick, the School Trustee, is attending the national convention of clothing cutters in Chicago. Mr. Cusick has had a long line of experience as a cutter, now acting in that capacity with the tailoring establishment of J. M. Borntraeger.

Miss Florence Rapp entertained a number of her friends on Saturday afternoon. Those present were Misses Rachel O'Bryan, Francis Henchey, Leah O'Bryan, Petronella Shours, Baneto Murphy, Stoner Murphy, Adelaide Strassell, Ida Zook and Florence Rapp.

Miss Sheridan McBride entertained a number of her friends Saturday afternoon. Among those present were Misses Jennie E. Gnaul, Clara Hurst, Amelia Stetler, Katharine Dowling, Margaret McCrory and Sheridan McBride. Prizes were won by Misses Jennie Gnaul and Margaret McCrory.

Announcement was made in Cincinnati this week of the engagement of Hon. Owen Tyler, of Louisville, and Mrs. Harriet Hulbert, a leader in Clifton society and the daughter of Judge Johnston. During the past few days the City Hall has been thronged with friends who called to tender congratulations to the Acting Mayor.

Misses Mary and Tillie Cuniff entertained the Goodwill Social Club at euchre Thursday evening. Prizes were awarded to Misses Mayme McCue, Mary Cuniff, Katie McCue; Messrs. Charles Leatherman, Lawrence Meany and Russell Moeller. The next euchre will be given at the home of Miss Irene Lucas, 315 Seventeenth street, January 24.

Mrs. Catherine Lang, 2239 Bank street, has announced the engagement of her attractive and accomplished daughter, Miss Nona Belle Lang, to Clarence B. McDonald, of the Southern Optical Company. Their marriage will be solemnized by the Rev. A. J. Brady at St. Cecilia's church on Tuesday, February 5. Both are receiving the congratulations of their legion of friends.

Charles Carroll, a former popular member of the Jeffersonville fire department, whose home is at 234 Ohio avenue, arrived home Tuesday from Indianapolis, bringing with him a handsome bride, who before her

marriage was Miss Mayme Whalen. The wedding was solemnized at Holy Cross church, Rev. Father Wade officiating. Friends of the fortunate groom have been showering him with congratulations.

Mrs. Louis W. Hugelmeyer entertained at euchre Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Adam Stratman, of Huntingburg, Ind. Among those present were Mesdames J. W. Horstman, Joseph Biscopink, F. Steinhauser, J. Standfort, F. Jonseck, William Bosler, Edward Fisher, Robert Zanone, F. Enslinger, J. Stratman, P. A. Plasehke, F. B. Horstman, J. Bennett, J. Werness, J. Sears and A. Stratman.

Mrs. E. P. Doran entertained with a euchre in honor of her sister, Mrs. John W. Haler, and daughter Edna, of Chicago, Ill. The following were present: Mesdames J. W. Haley, of Chicago; P. Richards, of New Albany; J. Quinlan, Edward Cardick, Sr., C. Haulzer, G. Syler, M. Lampere and M. Rossen. Misses Edna Haley and Francis Richards kept tally and Miss Anna Richards, of New Albany, presided at the punch bowl. Prizes were won by Mrs. P. Richards, Mrs. M. Lampere, Mrs. Rossen.

John Henning, a prominent and prosperous resident of Clarksville, Tenn., spent several days here this week as the guest of Messrs. James and Peter Curran. Mr. Henning's headquarters for traveling and railroad men, and he is doing a fine business. He says there are many Irishmen in Clarksville, all of whom are energetic and prosperous, but that there is a promising field for many more. During his stay here Mr. Henning visited numerous points of interest and made many friends who will welcome his return.

MRS. THOMAS H. CLAY

Exhibits Boldly Dense Ignorance of War of Independence and Its Heroes.

A special dispatch in the Cincinnati Enquirer of Tuesday from Lexington says there is trouble in the ranks of the Daughters of the American Revolution there over the report of Mrs. Thomas H. Clay, Regent of the Lexington Chapter, published in the State D. A. R. year book, just out. The report in telling of the various achievements during the year said: "They have rescued the Fourth of July from being merely a day for negro picnics and Irish barbecues, and their simple, beautiful patriotic celebration of the day has become an event in Lexington." Loud protests to this classification have been made, and the matter is to be taken up with the State Regent, Mrs. J. N. McCormick.

Such discreditable mention of the Irish by a "lady" who claims to represent the Lexington Chapter is surprising and should place her on the outside of the ranks of those who are now and always have been true to our flag and country. As the Daughters of the American Revolution is a patriotic and historical organization, and as the Regent of the Lexington Chapter exhibits boldly her dense ignorance of the nationality of many of our greatest Revolutionary heroes, it would be well that some action should be taken to inform her how the Irish, in Kentucky at least, have done for the world and contributed in large measure to the freedom and happiness she now enjoys. Every school child knows the story. If she will come to Louisville on February 17 we will in one evening tell her of the Irish in the Revolution that will be worth more than all the education she has yet received. Again we say to her to read up before again mentioning the Irish, about whom she evidently knows nothing at all.

BISHOP SPALDING'S HEALTH.

The Bloomington Bulletin thus refers to the health of the Right Rev. Bishop John Lancaster Spalding, Bishop of the diocese of Peoria: "Bishop John Lancaster Spalding, will leave in a few days for Hot Springs, Ark., where he will spend the remainder of the winter. During the past few weeks the Bishop has shown a decided improvement in his condition. He is applying himself to the important phases of his work, leaving the routine matters to his auxiliary, Bishop O'Reilly. Bishop Spalding is daily seen out riding even in the worst weather, and but few days have been too bad during the past few months to deprive him of this pleasure."

WELL DESERVED.

The election of Mr. Henry Streng, of the Big Store, to the Vice Presidency of the Retail Merchants' Association, was a deserved tribute to this enterprising clothing merchant. Since Mr. Streng's advent in the clothing and furnishings business in this city he has shown himself interested in the city's welfare and success, and he and his firm have always been willing and ready to aid any movement that tended to Louisville's upbuilding and prosperity.

FATHER RYAN'S CHURCH.

Preliminary steps were taken this week by the congregation of St. Joseph's church of Winchester for the erection of a handsome new church building. The congregation there is not large in numbers, the Democrat says, but the members are strong in the faith, and under the energetic charge of the Rev. Father William B. Ryan they will no doubt erect an edifice that will be a credit to the Catholics and the city. Father Ryan is a zealous priest and well known all over the State, and people of all beliefs will encourage and aid him in his laudable undertaking.

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Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Fifteen of the eighty-seven councils in Pennsylvania own their own homes, costing from \$5,000 to \$40,000. New York Knights last year spent approximately \$300,000 for the purchase and erection of new club houses.

The fourth degree will be conferred in the district of Northern Illinois on Sunday afternoon, January 27, in the drill hall of the Chicago Masonic Temple.

Virginia has eight councils with an aggregate membership of 1,030. The institution of a new council at Petersburg and coming initiations are expected to add largely to that number.

Bishop Connell Council, of Covington, expects to initiate a class of twenty in the first degree early in February. District Deputy James Rogers installed the officers last Saturday night.

Philadelphia Knights have held annual receptions for the past three years, handing the proceeds thereof, amounting to \$17,000, to His Grace Archbishop Ryan, to be devoted to worthy charities.

January 1 there were 55,750 insurance and 115,800 insurance members enrolled. This phenomenal increase can be best understood when it is stated that seven years ago the membership was less than 50,000.

Right Rev. Bishop Northrop, of Charleston, S. C., is a fourth degree member. The council there is about to begin the erection of a handsome building that will be a credit to the city and order, having a fund of \$7,000 for that purpose.

During the past year three new councils were organized in Nebraska. Though not quite five years old there are fourteen thriving councils in that State, with another being organized at North Platte. The membership embraces about 2,000 men.

Baltimore Knights are building an addition to their present home, the total cost of which will be \$40,000. They will give a fair the first week in February, and among the prizes offered are a three-story house, a \$1,700 four-seated automobile and a \$500 piano.

The new Norwood Council installed its officers last week in Cincinnati. A social session followed the ceremonies, which were largely attended. This council will attend the initiation at Lexington tomorrow, when arrangements will be completed for a return service.

AFTER PRIZE.

Uniform Rank Made Splendid Showing at Installation of Officers.

The installation of officers of Kadeski Council, Uniform Rank, K. of A., took place Wednesday evening at their armory on Eighth street, in the presence of the wives, sisters and sweethearts of the members of that splendid semi-military organization. Owing to the absence of Adj. Gen. Michael Reicher the installation ceremonies were directed by Col. Joseph P. McGinn, and were according to the new ritual just issued. Following these ceremonies refreshments were served, after which Capt. Archer lined up his men for an hour, many of the movements eliciting applause from the spectators.

The company was complimented on all sides, Col. McGinn saying it was most certain to carry off some prize in the competitive drill next May when the Supreme body meets in Cincinnati. Others predicted that Company C would be a close competitor for first honors in that contest, in which companies from many States will be entered. The evening's entertainment closed with best wishes for the Knights and hopes that all would see them come back in May bearing first prize and with color flying.

FIELD HAS NO LIMIT.

The Kentucky Irish American, published weekly in Louisville, is one of our most welcome exchanges. Whilst its news field is limited, as its name indicates, it contains no trash nor mere sensationalism, and can be counted upon to ring true under the test of questions involving morality and right. It is a good paper and has a future before it. Thus speaks the Columbia Free

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KNIGHTS WERE PLEASED.

Capt. Gus Kane and the members of Company A, Uniform Rank, K. K. of A., are congratulating themselves on the social and financial success of their first military euchre and reception, given at the company's quarters on Shelby street. In addition to the players at the eighty-nine tables there was a large audience present to witness the games and encourage the Knights. Company C was fully represented in uniform and many were present from New Albany and Jeffersonville. Forty-five prizes were awarded and all went away happy and pleased with their entertainment.

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HIBERNIANS.

**What They Have Been Doing
 the Past Week—General
 News Notes.**

Division 2 expects to add twelve members at the initiation tomorrow. Pittsburgh Hibernians have decided that they will not hold any St. Patrick's day parade this year.

Division 1 meets Tuesday night, when a report from the committee to secure permanent quarters will be looked for.

Division 1 of Jeffersonville has paid in full its national and State per capita tax, being one of the first in Indiana to do so.

Don't forget that you and your lady friends are invited to the complimentary euchre to be given by Division 4 next Wednesday night.

The Hibernians of Lowell, Mass., will this year celebrate St. Patrick's day with a banquet instead of a parade. This plan has been adopted in many other cities.

Division 1 of Duluth installed its officers Wednesday night in Cathedral Hall and then began the year's work with the initiation of a large class of candidates.

Young Jack Murphy made a fine record as Secretary of the Jeffersonville division. His minutes were always carefully written, never needing correction or amendment.

The work of the New Albany degree team is highly commended. Each member has studied his part well and the exemplification is said to be as nearly perfect as possible.

Dennis Gorman, formerly prominent in Jeffersonville Hibernian circles, but for several years past located at Fort Wayne, writes that he has just recovered from a five weeks' illness.

Every member who has proposed a candidate should see that he is presented for initiation tomorrow afternoon. The degree team expects to see a large class and should not be disappointed.

There was a grand midwinter reunion of Hibernians in the old City Hall at Pittsburgh last Saturday night, when Prof. Monaghan, of Washington, delivered his lecture on "Irish Nationality."

Division 1 of Stillwater, Minn., and the Ladies' Auxiliary had a joint installation of officers, when an excellent programme was rendered, followed by a delicious luncheon served by the ladies.

National President Cummings was given a great reception at Nashua, N. H., over 500 members being present at the meeting. Upon all sides it was declared that the visit of President Cummings will be of immense benefit to the order.

About 100 members attended the installation held at Skaneateles Falls and enjoyed the social session that followed. A large number attended the banquet held by Division 10 at Marcellus in honor of State President Dorsey, New York's State President.

Division 3 of Manchester, N. H., installed officers and initiated eight members at its last meeting. Rev. Father Creamer, the State Chaplain, is much interested in the success of this division, which was organized in his parish. When the new St. Patrick's church hall is completed the members will meet there.

CHANGES RUMORED.

**Control of the Irish Police to
 Be Placed Under Irish
 Authority.**

A correspondent of the Cork Examiner, on the authority of one who "holds one of the most exalted positions in the United Kingdom, and possesses almost unique opportunities of becoming acquainted in every respect with the intentions of the Government," states that in the forthcoming legislative and administrative changes it is contemplated to give the control of the Irish police to an Irish authority.

"As regards the working of the land act, the Government," the correspondent asserts, "will abolish the bonus and carry a compulsory measure for the transfer of the land from owner to occupier. That in furtherance of a forward policy, the personnel of the administration of the land act will undergo a change in one instance at least, where a gentleman whose offices and sympathies are well known, but who is stated to lack the stamina to give effect to his views, will be promoted to another important post, and his place will be filled by one possessing the requisite 'back bone' to co-operate with the stronger personalities that permeate, and perhaps direct the present administration."

The correspondent gives as an explanation of the resignation of Bryce from the Irish Chief Secretaryship the want of harmony that existed between himself and Sir Antony MacDonnell.

CASPER'S TOAST.

Dr. Michael Casper returned the first of the week from the institution of another council of the Knights of Columbus last Sunday. At the banquet in the evening Dr. Casper responded to the toast, "The True Knight." There were over 200 visiting Knights present and the new council was started off with a champagne membership of over fifty. The three degrees were given by teams from Owensboro and Evansville and Louis J. Herrman, the ceremonies lasting over six hours.

THEIR FIRST.

Kadeski Company, Uniform Rank of the C. K. of A., has out tickets announcing its first euchre and reception, which occurs Wednesday evening, February 6, at Masonic Temple Hall. It is the intention to make this an elaborate affair, and to this

end an orchestra has been engaged to render a musical programme while the games are in progress. Beautiful prizes are promised and all rights have been reserved.

AFTER TRADE.

**Ireland Adopting Measures to
 Become Commercial
 Power.**

A Dublin dispatch of Wednesday says Ireland is waking up and is possessed with the determination to become a great industrial country. From political agitation and emigration the Irish are turning their energies to the commercial development of their once "distressful" country. The revival of peaceful activity in Ireland is shown everywhere today by the innumerable money-making propositions that are afloat. Business men are engaged on new schemes of every kind and plentiful employment for needy Irishmen is promised. The native industries of Ireland are being helped along by encouragement and vigorous canvassing by such organizations as the Industrial Development Association. Many aristocratic ladies are working hard to revive the gentle industries among the peasant women. Lady Aberdeen, the Vicerine, having been successful in extending the lace-making craft to large proportions. A co-operative creamery has been founded by a duchess; a countess is fostering a homespun tweed industry on her estate; and a priest has collected \$30,000 with which to start a woolen mill.

Everybody is being urged by circulars and shop signs to buy only Irish goods, and a national trade mark has lately been adopted. This is a simple design in the style of ancient Irish art, with the words "Made in Ireland" in Irish characters. Meanwhile the Government is expected very soon to buy and operate the Irish railway system, and effect very necessary reforms. At present the railways of Ireland are controlled by a large number of small companies, are very inefficiently and expensively worked. A better system of government is also promised, several of the departments being overhauled with a view to a thorough reorganization, giving a better ordered, less expensive and really popular system at Dublin Castle. Much good work to this end was done by Secretary James Bryce, who is leaving for the British Embassy at Washington in February. Dublin's World's Fair next year will open the world's eyes to the progress Ireland is making now that she has partly shaken off the yoke of political despotism.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Buckingham offering for next week will consist of an all star cast, including an olio of headline acts, and two funny burlesques.

Kellar, the magician, will appear at the Masonic next week with the usual matinees. His past successes in Louisville doubtless will be repeated. Upon his visit several features never seen here before will be presented.

The Hopkins management announces that a good vaudeville bill, embracing Clinko & Co., Cameron and Flanagan, Ben Welch, Waterbury Brothers and Tenney, the Oliverio Trio, Minnie Kaufmann and other artists, will be given all next week, with daily matinees. Several of these acts are said to be above the average of vaudeville material and will be seen here for the first time.

A play of the West will hold sway during the first half of next week at Macauley's. "The Girl and the Bandit" coming for four performances. The play is said to abound in good situations and to be fully up to the standard of like plays that have proved so successful in New York the last two seasons. The remainder of the week, with Saturday matinee, will be taken up with the engagement of Maxine Elliott in "Her Great Match," a play by Clyde Fitch.

GENEROUS TO ORPHANS.

The Christmas collection taken for the orphans of the Indianapolis diocese at Holy Trinity church in New Albany reached the handsome sum of \$15. This was one of the largest collections ever taken in any church in that diocese and is a striking evidence of the liberality of Rev. Father Curran and the people of Holy Trinity parish.

SCHOOL OPENED.

The handsome new parochial school just completed by Rev. Father William Gausepohl for the children of St. Mary Magdalen's parish was solemnly blessed last Sunday. The building is nicely equipped, well furnished and commodious, and already the attendance of pupils is quite large. Many compliments are being paid the Rev. Father Gausepohl for his achievement since taking charge of that church.

MACMANUS LECTURES.

Seumas MacManus, the noted Gaelic lecturer and writer, will be in the Northwest next week, having engagements at Minneapolis, St. Paul, Milwaukee and Chicago, and on Saturday will speak twice to the students at Notre Dame University at Notre Dame, Ind. During February his route lies through Utah and Montana to the Pacific coast, and from San Francisco to Texas and Louisiana, reaching Ohio, the first part of March.

CONCERT AND BANQUET.

The annual concert and banquet of the Concordia Singing Society at Liederkranz Hall on Monday night was a most delightful affair, being enjoyed by an audience of over 800 people. The musical programme, arranged by Prof. Carl Schuttler and Victor Winter and divided into two parts, was of an especially high quality. Dancing was also a feature in which hundreds took part. All were fully repaid for braving the inclement weather to attend.

IRELAND.

**Record of the Most Important to
 the Recent Events Culled
 From Exchanges.**

At Ballytrain many applications are being made for laborers' cottages.

Death has been very busy in and about Ballyborough about Christmas week. Not more than fifteen deaths have taken place inside that time.

A large number of emigrants are preparing to leave the vicinity of Ballytrain in the early part of the present year. No county in Ireland suffered more from emigration than Monaghan, still the drain goes on.

On Sunday evening a woman named Bridget Monaghan, of Ballyborough, left her house to procure milk for supper. When in the middle of Main street she became suddenly ill and fell to the ground, and when assistance arrived was found to be quite dead.

The plowing match, formulated by the Agricultural and Industrial Society, will be held on Monday, January 21, at Castleblaney. There is a class for swing plows and one for child plows, and three substantial prizes are offered in each class, to which several specials will be added.

At the opening of the Castleblaney Quarter Sessions his Honor Judge Craig was presented by Sheriff Swann with a pair of white gloves, as an emblem of the peaceful state of that division of county Monaghan. His Honor returned thanks, and expressed himself satisfied with that condition of affairs.

The South Monaghan Executive of the United Irish League has arranged for a meeting of large proportions at Ballytrain on January 20, in the interest of the evicted tenants. Every part of the County Monaghan, as well as the neighboring counties of Armagh, Louth and Cavan, will send delegations.

The collections in aid of the Parliamentary fund at Ballytrain, although not what it should be, was very good notwithstanding that those who benefited most gave least. The local division of the A. O. H., co-operated with the U. I. L. in making it a success, which should have critics very little room for fault finding in future.

The Ballyborough Board of Guardians adjourned their meeting on Monday as a mark of respect to the memory of John Willock, of Drumaspick, and Mrs. Rose Cook, Market street, Ballyborough, the only business transacted being to pass a resolution allowing one shilling extra for the New Year to those on receipt of out-door relief.

A monster National demonstration in the interests of the evicted tenants of mid-Armagh was held on Sunday, January 6, in Middletown. Prominent members of Parliament and several of the foremost Ulster Nationalists as well as local speakers addressed the meeting. The meeting was arranged by Secretary Thomas Hughes, of the United Irish League.

The death of John Willock took place at his residence at Drumaspick, on Sunday morning, after a brief illness. The funeral to Moybrogue on Monday last was very largely attended, and included all the business and professional men of the town, together with the people of a wide district of the country, upwards of forty-five vehicles following the hearse.

The Ardee Rural District Council has adopted a resolution in favor of direct labor on the roads in Meath, and if the roads be improved by the change, then the sooner it takes place the better, and hope is expressed that when the subject comes before the County Council at their next meeting they will give the consideration its importance demands, as it would undoubtedly be the means of providing needed employment for a number of laborers.

Drumconrath was the scene of great enthusiasm on New Year's eve. The fire and drum struck out at 11:40 and proceeded toward Mullinacree, where they wheeled, and the procession led down the village, halting on the center of the street. After playing a fine selection of Irish airs they moved on to the chapel gate, and on returning to the band-room they received the dawning of the New Year with "God Save Ireland" and "The Wearing of the Green." The night was calm with the exception of a little frost, which rendered the streets a little slippery after the thaw.

A very sad affair happened during Christmas. A woman named Anne Lynch, of the tramp class, with her boy of about five years old, were making their way on Christmas eve from Kells workhouse to Ballyborough workhouse, which place she entered that night. On the following morning the child was found three miles from the town on the Kells road almost dead. He was removed to a neighbor's house, but died in a short while afterward. The news was conveyed to the police who arrested Anne Lynch on her way to Virginia and charged her with the desertion of her child, which charge she admitted. She was tried at a special court and imprisoned for three months.

GOING TO LIXINGTON.

P. H. Callahan will head a delegation from the local council of the Knights of Columbus to go Lexington tomorrow to attend the initiation of Bluetown Council, of that place. Some of the visitors will return tomorrow evening while others will wait over until Monday morning.

HONORS FOR CHIEFS.

The fifteen Grand Army posts of Cincinnati have called a union meeting for Thursday, January 31, in honor of the Most Rev. Archbishop John Ireland, the distinguished head of the St. Paul archdiocese, and R. B. Brown. The former is National Chaplain and the former National Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic.

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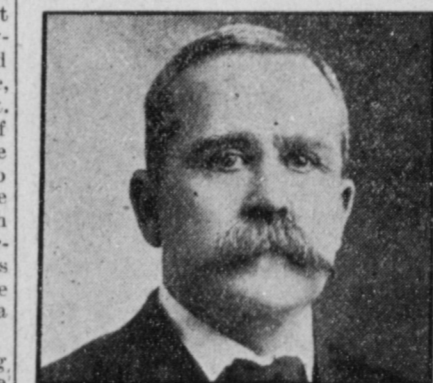
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this expansion sale at 49c, 75c and **98c**
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VERY BUSY
Were Ladies of the Auxiliary
Last Wednesday
Night.

At an interesting meeting of Division
1 of the Ladies Auxiliary held
Wednesday night at their hall,
Seventeenth and Main, the members
transacted an unusual amount of
business. Miss Elizabeth King pre-
sided, Miss Mary Sheridan being as-
sistant from the city attending the ses-
sions of the Supreme officers of the
Catholic Knights and Ladies of
America. That the work of increas-
ing the membership continues was
evidenced by the filing of two ap-
plications and the obligation of two
new members.

The Literary Committee reported
that Schreiber's Hall had been se-
cured for the euchre and dance to
be given February 5, and that they
were giving all their time to ar-
rangements that will insure its suc-
cess. Numerous and handsome prizes
will be awarded during the evening,
which will be made the occasion of a
great social gathering. The ladies
and business-like in their methods,
in consequence of which they have
a splendid treasury, and it has been
hinted that they would not be averse
to the purchase of a building of their
own.

Members were pained to learn of
the illness of Miss Josie Beardon.
Tuesday night the Auditing Com-
mittee, composed of Misses Elizabeth
King, Margaret Sullivan, Sadie Jour-
dan, Mrs. Dora McGinnis and Rose
Kelly, went over the books and found
them all correct. They were then en-
tertained in a most hospitable man-
ner by Mrs. Dan Dougherty as the
home.

Tickets for the euchre and dance
are now out and may be obtained
from Mrs. Dan J. Dougherty, 1231
West Market street.

MEMPHIS.

Happenings in the Ranks of
the Young Men's
Institute.

The recently held election of the
Young Men's Institute at Memphis,
Tenn., resulted in the following ro-
ster for the new year: George A.
Lawo, President; F. T. Fransoli,
First Vice President; D. T. Harrington,
Second Vice President; M. Car-
rigan, Treasurer; J. L. Glanker,
Recording Secretary; A. V. R. Klein-
er, Financial Secretary; C. W. Wal-
lace, Jr., Marshal; Sentinel, W. L.
Fay; Outside Sentinel, E. A. Clarke;
Executive Committee, John E. Col-
beut, W. E. Sullivan, J. L. Keating,
Jr.

An entertainment committee was
appointed to serve on the evening of
January 25, when the Y. M. I. are to
give a brilliant fete. This committee
is composed of Thomas Smyth, J. W.
Glanker, Charles Baker, C. W. Wal-
lace, Jr., Reno, F. T. Fransoli, Schae-
fer and D. T. Harrington. A dramat-
ic committee was also named to get
up amateur theatricals, presenting
the same in the Y. M. I. Hall on
Washington avenue.

The Catholic Journal says an ef-
fort is being made to bring Arch-
bishop Ireland there. It is expected
that the attempt will result in the
looming prelate visiting Memphis in
the near future. The Y. M. I. have
a large and a growing membership,
and judging from the present out-
look, will be the banner branch in
the South.

FORTY HOURS.

The Forty Hours' devotion will
begin in St. Joseph's church at the
high mass tomorrow morning and
will continue until Tuesday. Priests
of the city will assist the pastor,
as it is expected the services will
be largely attended.

CATHOLIC WOMAN'S CLUB.

All arrangements have been per-
fected and prizes secured for the an-
nual euchre given under the auspices
of the Catholic Woman's Club, which
takes place at the club house on

West Walnut street next Friday
afternoon and night. This is an
event in which the Catholic women
of this city generally are interested,
and in addition to the games an in-
teresting programme will be pre-
sented. This institution has been do-
ing most commendable work for the
young women of Louisville, and the
public should respond generously
whenever an opportunity like this
presents itself.

LIKE OLD TIMES.

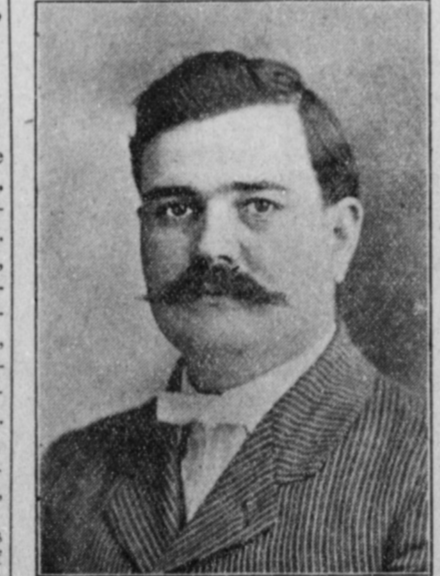
Meeting of Trinity Council,
Y. M. I. Last Tuesday
Evening.

Trinity Council, Y. M. I., held a
largely attended meeting Tuesday
evening with all of the officers pres-
ent and much enthusiasm being
manifested, which acted as a re-
minder of Trinity in its palmy days.
The newly elected officers have
taken a fresh hold on the club house
proposition and the rank and file of
the council believe that a year hence
they will be located in their own
home, and President Joseph Conkling
announced that he will strive hard
to accomplish this end.

A. F. Amshoff and Edward Pfeif-
er were reported on the sick list, but
both give promise of recovering in a
few days. The entertainment com-
mittee reported that they contem-
plated giving a euchre and dance be-
fore the opening of Lent and that
they would announce the exact date
at the next meeting, Tuesday even-
ing. A report was received from the
delegates to the Catholic Federation,
and as Trinity Council was short of
their quota of representatives to the
Federation, three new members were
appointed.

GIVEN FINE BADGE.

After partaking of a bounteous
luncheon, given Saturday evening at
Bruen's Garden, Third avenue and
Avery street, in honor of Police



Sergeant John McSweeney, the
friends of that faithful officer pre-
sented him with a handsome and
costly badge. The surprise was com-
plete and was greatly enjoyed by the
many present, among whom were
members of the Board of Safety,
city officials, the heads of the police
department and prominent business
and professional men. The badge
was worthily bestowed and will be
worn with honor.

COFFEE SOCIAL EUCHE.

The ladies of St. Leo's church at
Highland Park are preparing a cof-
fee social and euchre for their
friends that gives promise of much
enjoyment. It will take place on
Thursday, January 31, afternoon
and evening, the proceeds going to
help this new and most worthy pa-
rish. That there may be plenty of
room and no confusion the games
are scheduled to be played in the
school house, while the coffee and
other refreshments will be served
in the parochial residence adjoining.
All charitably inclined people are
cordially invited, as by their pres-
ence they will greatly encourage
Father Fitzgerald and the people
of St. Leo's in the great work they
are pushing forward.

CINCINNATI.

Friendly Sons Getting Ready
For Another Big
Time.

W. J. O'Dell was elected President,
John Manly First Vice President, John
Doyle Second Vice President, Henry
J. Cain Treasurer, Edward J. Tully
Financial Secretary, and Charles E.
Dawson Corresponding Secretary of
the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick at
the St. Nicholas in Cincinnati last
Saturday night. Banquet and other
committees were to be appointed
during the week, and general meet-
ings held every two weeks until
March 17. Judge John P. Murphy
was elected Chairman of the social
session, and announced that, in ac-
cordance with the great sealed rule
of the order, the time had arrived,
with the mystic combination of
years 1907, to break the seal and
solve the mystery which had caused
so much discussion—the origin and
inspiration of the famous Gridiron
Club of Washington City. The
Friendly Sons of St. Patrick for al-
most countless years until 1789, had
observed the ritual now used by the
Gridiron Club, he said, and 1907, hav-
ing arrived, would again use it. A
committee was appointed to invite
Judge Alton B. Parker, a member of
the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, of
New York, to attend the session, but
he had left the St. Nicholas to spend
the night at the residence of a friend.
The following gentlemen were
called on to make speeches, sing
songs or tell stories: Retiring
President Charles E. Williams, Pat-
rick Rouch, John J. Gilligan, Thomas
F. Sharp, Henry J. Cain, John
Manley, John R. Kinsey, Judge John
G. O'Connell, John Doyle, James E.
McCracken, Thomas J. Cogan, Peter
R. Costello, Charles E. Dawson,
Thomas J. Logan, A. C. Gilligan and
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NIGHT FOR GREEN.

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Ball.

Twill be the wearin' o' the green
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the New York World. The Committee
of Arrangements has decided to spend
\$5,000 in the purchase of emerald
green bunting, interspersed with hun-
dreds of Irish and American flags.
These will be in the main decorations
of the garden. Every one of the
ninety-two Irish patriotic, social and
benevolent organizations in New
York is working hard to make this
event a great financial success, as
well as a credit to the cherished isle
across the sea. Most of these or-
ganizations have secured boxes and
the flag o' each will be draped upon
the front. The concert hall will be
the scene of a social treat for the
women. Instead of a pink there will
be a "green tea" party there. In the
mean time the boys can get some
specially imported rare old poteen in
the restaurant off the main entrance.
Two great military bands will fur-
nish the music and a band of Irish
fiddlers and pipers will play the soul
inspiring strains to which at midnight
500 specially trained and costumed
couple will dance the jigs and reels
of their forefathers.

ANOTHER BANQUET.

Monday night the members of
Mackin Council Social Club will have
a banquet at the Old Inn, and as it
will be a stag affair a rather lively
time is anticipated. The Social
Club embraces the young husters
of the council, who intend having
an evening of jollity that will sur-
prise their elders.

ABLE TO BE OUT.

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